



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Akito KURAMATA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2823

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Examiner: William D Coleman

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For: OPTICAL SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING AN EPITAXIAL
LAYER OF III-V COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR MATERIAL
CONTAINING...

Attorney Docket Number: 990527

Customer Number: 38834

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated July 27, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.

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